

COLORADO RIVER ALLIANCE







We are an active voice for a healthy river.

We champion the long-term vitality of the Texas Colorado River through education and engagement for all generations.

Educate



Collaborate



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Innovate



Engage



- The Alliance created three new program services in response to the lack of in-person educational opportunities for students and adults due to the pandemic.
- Between April 2020 and June 2021:
 - More than 350 adults engaged in River Reflections series,
 - more than 1,500 educators and parents accessed the Bilingual STEM Digital Resource Library,
 - and more than 600 elementary and middle-school aged students explored water science via a CRA Virtual Field Trip.

During COVID

RECENT SUCCESS

SPRING CLEAN DOWNSTREAM

Across ten eastern Travis County Park sites, more than 150 volunteers removed micro trash and invasive plant species during the First Annual Spring Clean Downstream on Saturday, April 24, 2021. Judge Brown and Commissioner Travillion joined us onsite at East Metro Park to thank the volunteers and learn more about CRA.



RECENT SUCCESS

River Heroes of the Highland Lakes

On June 3, 2021, at the Lakeside Pavilion in Marble Falls, business leaders, elected officials, and community stewards gathered to celebrate and highlight those in our community who understand the importance of our Texas Colorado River and are working each day to ensure that all future Texans have ample access to fishable, swimmable, and drinkable Texas Colorado River water.



• The Alliance is focused on supporting educators as we work together to close the learning gap that many students experienced due to the pandemic by providing access to hands-on, inquiry-based STEM education in a safe, outdoor setting via the Redbud Field Trip Program.

• Additionally, the Alliance will continue to provide an **opportunity to convene with subject matter experts** to discuss the importance of the River to our communities through the **monthly River Reflections Virtual Panel series**.

• We stand strong in our commitment to partner with local businesses and public agencies to provide oneof-kind, **family- friendly, safe volunteer opportunities**. The Alliance and Travis County have begun planning for the 27th Annual Lake Travis Clean-up taking place in September 2021 (Stage 3 Dependent).



Looking ahead





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